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Dear Colleague

## **UPDATE RE QOF QUERIES PROCESS**

As agreed in 2008 complex queries regarding QOF are dealt with at a Scottish level, and both the Scottish General Practitioners Committee of the BMA (SGPC) and the Scottish Government (SG) agree on the response. For simple queries which require familiarity with the guidance, or those which have already arisen and been dealt with, Boards will have their own process for responding.

The attached information sheet outlines the process which has been agreed by NHS Boards, SGPC and SG. We would be grateful if you could therefore continue to direct queries to your Board's lead contact (on the information sheet) who will initiate the process.

If you have any questions about the process, please also contact your Board's lead contact or Sheena MacDonald, Senior Medical Officer, Scottish Government on <a href="mailto:sheena.macdonald@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">sheena.macdonald@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a>.

Yours sincerely

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